

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Harold Trick, et al.
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 Entitled: **COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR CONTROLLING PARASITIC NEMATODES**

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND RESPONSE
TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED AUGUST 17, 2009**

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Dated: February 11, 2010

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Examiner Ibrahim:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed August 17, 2009.

Applicants respectfully submit herewith a request for a three-month extension of time for filing a response to the Office Action from November 17, 2009, the original due date of the response, through and including February 17, 2010. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees during the entire pendency of this application, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account 50-4302**, referencing **Attorney Docket No. KSURF-08151**.

This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3). In accordance with the procedure under 37 C.F.R. §1.121, please amend the above-identified application as follows: